

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

JAMES EVERETT SHELTON

Plaintiff,

v.

LIRAZ YAIL LLC

Defendant.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 20-1114

ORDER

AND NOW, this 29th day of May 2020, upon consideration of the pending motions, it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

1. Plaintiff's Motion for Alternative Service [Doc. No. 5] is **GRANTED** as follows.¹ The summons and complaint shall be served upon Defendant Liraz Yail LLC a) by certified mail, return receipt requested, regular mail, and posting at 1301 Reagan Ct., Norristown, PA 19403, and b) by certified mail, return receipt requested and regular mail at Luxury Cosmetics Boutique Spa, King of Prussia Mall, 160 N. Gulph Road, 2nd Floor, King of Prussia, PA 19046.

2. Plaintiff's Motion for Extension of Time to Serve Summons and Complaint Upon Defendant [Doc. No. 6] is **GRANTED** in that the deadline for service is extended an additional 60 days.

3. Service shall be complete and effective upon filing proof of service as directed.

It is so **ORDERED**.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Cynthia M. Rufe

CYNTHIA M. RUFE, J.

¹ In Pennsylvania, a plaintiff who is unable to effect service under the applicable rule of civil procedure and seeks service through alternative methods must show that good faith efforts have been made to locate the defendant and effect service, and that the alternative methods of service are reasonably calculated to provide notice of the proceedings to the defendant. *Nunez v. Flowers*, No. 19-2780, 2020 WL 1164792, at * 2 (E.D. Pa. Mar. 11, 2020) (citations omitted). Plaintiff has met this standard; the affidavit of the process server shows that repeated efforts have been made to serve Defendant through the owner of the LLC (who may presently be overseas) at the business address (which is presently closed due to the COVID-19 pandemic) and at the address of record with the Pennsylvania Department of State (a residential address where someone is residing), and the proposed methods of alternative service are reasonably calculated to provide Defendant with notice of the proceedings against it, *id.*, although the Court will order service by mail at both addresses.